

**29660—Continued.**

"These trees do not grow in swamps, but on nice, sweet soil near the river and where frosts are sharp. They grow where the orange tree would be frozen in winter." (*Williams.*)

See No. 29537 for previous introduction.

**29715 to 29723.**

From Canal Zone, Panama. Collected by Mr. William R. Maxon, United States National Museum. Received February 18, 1911.

Plants of the following:

**29715 to 29722.** (Undetermined.) (Orchidaceæ.) **Orchid.**

(Maxon's Nos. 4720 to 4727.) These were collected on tree trunks in the vicinity of Frijoles, Canal Zone; altitude, 35 to 100 feet.

**29723.** *ELAPHOGLOSSUM HERMINIERI* (Bory and Fee) Moore.

(Maxon's No. 4649.) Collected on a fallen tree trunk in the hilly forest around Agua Clara reservoir, near Gatun, Canal Zone; altitude 70 to 100 feet.

**29724.** (Undetermined.) (Orchidaceæ.) **Epiphytic orchid.**

From near Frijoles, Canal Zone, Panama; altitude 35 to 100 feet. Collected by Prof. H. Pittier, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received February 18, 1911. (Pittier's No. 2683.)

**29725 and 29726.** *MAGNOLIA CAMPBELLII* Hook. f. and Thoms.

From Sibpur, Calcutta, India. Presented by Maj. A. T. Gage, superintendent, Royal Botanic Garden. Received February 21, 1911.

Seeds of the following:

**29725.** From tree bearing red flowers.

**29726.** From tree bearing white flowers.

**29727 and 29728.**

From Egypt. Presented by Mr. D. S. Fish, secretary, Alexandria Horticultural Society, Alexandria, Egypt. Received February 20, 1911.

**29727.** *SACCHARUM OFFICINARUM* L. **Sugar cane.**

"*Beledi* sugar cane. This has been cultivated in Egypt for centuries. It is highly esteemed by the natives for eating out of hand." (*Fish.*)

Cuttings.

**29728.** *IPOMOEA BATATAS* (L.) Poir. **Sweet potato.**

"*Beledi* sweet potato. This was probably brought to Egypt from Spain." (*Fish.*)

Tubers.

**29729 and 29730.** *Rosa* spp. **Rose.**

From Lisbon, Portugal. Presented by Mr. Ch. D'Navel, inspector, Botanic Gardens. Received February 21, 1911.

Cuttings of the following hybrids of *Rosa gigantea*:

**29729.** *Belle Portugaise.*

**29730.** *Étoile du Portugal.* A hybrid of *Rosa gigantea* and *Reine Marie Henriette.*